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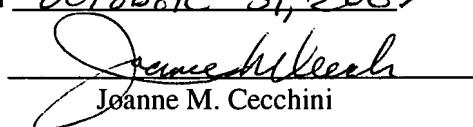
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE SECOND MONTH

Applicants respectfully petition that they be granted an extension of time within the second month, until November 2, 2007, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a), and 1.7, to file a Request for Continued Examination with a Preliminary Amendment with Response in reply to the Final Office Action mailed June 22, 2007. Our check in the amount of \$230.00 is enclosed for the fee for a small entity to obtain this extension.

If for any reason this Petition is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts, (781) 890-5678.

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